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This is a request regarding the status of the Refund Request that was filed in the above-referenced patent application on January 14, 2009, requesting a refund of the \$270 Notice of Appeal fee that was paid on December 29, 2008. No response has been received since then.

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